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Land of the South!—imperiel land!
How proud thy mountains rise,
How sweet thy scenes on every hand,
How fair thy covering skies;
But not for this—oh, not for thee;
I love thy fields to roam—
Thou hast a dearer spell to me,
Thou art my native home!

Thy rivers roll their liquid wealth,
Unequaled to the sea—
Thy hills and valleys bloom with health,
And green with verdure be!
But not for thy proud ocean streams,
Nor for thy azure dome—
Sweet sunny South!—I cling to thee—
Thou art my native home!

I've stood beneath Italia's clime,
Beloved of tale and song—
On proud Helvetia's hills sublime,
Where nature's wonders throng,
By Tempe's classic sunlight streams,
Where God's of old did roam—
But ne'er have found so fair a land
As thou, my native home!

And thou hast prouder glories, too,
Than nature ever gave—
Peace sheds o'er thee her genial dew,
And freedom's pinions wave—
Fair science flings her pearls around,
Religion lifts her dome;
These, these, endear thee to my heart,
My own loved native home!

And "Heaven's best gift to man" is thine—
God bless thy rosy girls!
Like sylvan flowers they sweetly shine,
Their hearts are pure as pearls!
And grace and goodness circle them,
Where e're their footsteps roam;
How can I, then, whilst loving them,
Not love my native home?

Land of the South!—imeprial land!
Then here's a health to thee—
Long as thy mountain barrier's stand,
May'st thou be blest and free!
May dark dissension's banner ne'er
Wave o'er thy fertile loam—
But should it come, there's one will die,
To save his native home.

THE FARMER'S STORY.

"I've seen you sitting on the fence, sir, writing in that little book. I thought you might be writing poetry. A good many folks come here of a summer, and make poetry about the sheep and the moon. Peggy reads 'em to me in the paper, and stories too, sir. Do you write stories? Yes? Well that's a gift. If I had it I think I could make out one about what had happened to me. Peggy says it could be done.

Now, it's all plain sailing, nothing out of the common; but I wasn't always a well-to-do farmer. Once I was a farmer's boy—a hand—with nothing but a stout heart, and strong limbs and good health.

Many's the night, when the stars were in the sky, I used to go out to the great pasture where the sheep browsed all day, and sat thinking thoughts I had no words for, and make beautiful pictures for myself in my own mind—not fine ones, sir. This is what I see the oftenest: A little cottage and a wide fireplace, such as they had in my day, a dresser with a row of delf upon it, four chairs and a table of pine. When I had these I was to marry Peggy Grey. But when I should have them, and she her white wedding gown and the house linen, neither of us knew.

She put her sixpences into a red earthen savings bank, and I kept mine in a glove. For two years we had been waiting and hoping, and were not much nearer than at first. Sometimes I felt down-hearted. Sometimes her litle letters were a bit sad. And just as I sat in the meadow I knew she sat before the kitchen fire in the house where she lived at service. Simple folks we were, but we had hearts, and felt, perhaps, as deeply as greater folks might.

My master, the farmer, was a close man He squeezed as much work out of his hands as possible. But it was a steady place, and he paid all he promised; so I staid, never thinking what trouble staying would bring to me—trouble that never would have come but for Mark Hulker. A good for nothing fellow he was, a disgrace to the rest of us, and he cheated the master and left his work undone. So after hours, master set me at his stint, and it being indoor work I kept at it all night. The old man liked that, and he set me a new task every night. All the better for me; I thought he would pay me extra, and what was weariness to me, if it only brought me nearer my Peggy! So I counted the hours' work as so many shillings. But when Saturday night came he gave me just my week's wages.

'Master,' said I, 'I've worked over hours every night. You forget that."

'I hire you by the week,' he said, 'I'll give you no more than one week's wages. So, if you don't like it, there are plenty of strong lads to be had—you are growing lazy." Then he turned his back on me, and Mark laughed. That angered me, and words fell from my lips. We had a quarrel, master and I, and I called him a 'niggardly old rascal,' and with that he dismissed me from his service.

'At dawn you go," he said, "You've worked to-day, and have a right to your bed at night, and at dawn you go.'

I marched out of the room with words I never should have used, and up to my garret and threw myself on my bed. But I did not mean to stay to be turned out. At midnight I rose softly, made up my bundle, and climbed out of a window. I cut my hands with the glass of a broken pane, and the blood dropped down upon my clothes. But I was too angry to feel the pain, and I bound up the wound with a handkerchief. Then I trudged on, meaning to look for work next day. So I did, but I found none. Then the thought struck me to make my way to———, and see Peggy. It would be a comfort to me whatever came; so I turned my steps in that direction, and kept on till night fell. Then, faint and weary, I lay down under some bushes and fell asleep.

Out of that sleep I was aroused by a shout and a clutch of strong hands. Men stood about me. One shouted my name. They held me fast and bound me.

I struggled, but it was of no use. Numbers were there against my single strength.

'What are you? Robbers? I have nothing worth taking,' I said, at last; and when standing still, I saw faces I knew about me—those of the farm hands at my old master's.

'You know well, Jack Malone,' said one. 'If he did speak an ill word at the last, he was a good man in the main, and you'd worked for him three years. You might have answered him as you liked, but to try to murder him was too horrible. We didn't think it of you, Jack—we didn't think it of you.'

'Murdered!' I cried, 'is old master murdered? Why lay it to me? I swear I never hurt him."

'If he is not quite dead it's none of your fault,' cried another man. 'Don't perjure yourself—look at the blood on your clothes.'

The blood from my hand was in blots and smears all over my vest. I feel my heart turn sick when I think of it.

'Master will clear me,' I said.

'He says it was you,' said one of the men. 'At least, he nodded yes, when we asked him if you did it'

'Then old master was not right in his mind,' I said. 'He'd never be against me.'

After that I heard the whole. Master had paid the men and dismissed Mark. He had only said, 'All right, I am tired of work,' and had eaten breakfast there and left in sight of all. But I was gone; and when they found that master, who was always up at cock-crow did not rise at nine, they opened the door and found him on the floor senseless; they thought him dead at first. He had been robbed of his pocket book, a watch and an old fashioned pin he always wore in his handkerchief—the painted head of a lady set round with what he used to tell us were pearls—an ornament older than his grandfather.

They found nothing around me, of course, but the quarrel and my cut hand made the case hard against me. The master, dying as they thought him, had been able to speak at odd times, and said that to the best of his knowledge and belief, I was the assailant. It was dark to be sure, but in the struggle he felt that the man wore a cap, and I was the only hand that wore anything but a straw hat. Besides he came from the inner passage and down the stairs, and did not break through door or window, as a burglar would have done. And I was the only missing member of the family. So I lay in prison with this awful charge upon me, until I knew whether master would live or die; and my greatest grief was for Peggie.

'Keep it from her,' I begged them, 'until she must know it.'

And they were kind and did it; and her letters were sent to me in prison. It was a weary time, and the only drop of comfort in it came with those letters. I had five from her, when at the end of one came this:

DEAR JACK:—I never hide anything from you, and do not want to boast of my conquests, a thing I'd never do; but just to let you know I keep no secrets to myself, I must tell you what has happened. Our master has hired a man, a lazy fellow, that I disliked at first sight, Mark Hulker by name, and what should he do but take a notion to me, or pretend to do so, trying his best to sit up with me after his work hours, and following me about wherever I go of a holiday. Then he tries to make me like him by telling me how rich he is. Four hundred dollars he has laid by, he says, and a gold watch like a gentleman. The other Sunday I was dressed for church, and up he walks, 'Why, Peggy,' says he, 'you've no pin to your collar.' Said I, 'I can't afford money for finery.' Then says he, 'Now how lucky it is that I've one to give you,' and he pulls a pin from his pocket. Jack, I couldn't help looking at it. It was a lady's portrait, with hair all white—though she was young—like an old woman's. He said it was powdered as they done it in old times; and a pink dress—and no bigger than a silver quarter altogether. How he came by such a thing, goodness knows! But of course I wouldn't have it. Says he, 'Now do take it, Peggy I want to keep company with you, and now you know the truth.' So says I, 'I want neither your company nor your presents, and please remember that hereafter." It was rough, I know, but I hate him so. And I was none too rude, for he bothers me yet as much as ever. Though you know if he were ever so good and handsome, I am your own Peggy, and think of no one else.'

When I read that you could have knocked me down with a feather. The pin was the one the old farmer had lost and I knew it, and it was Mark who was the thief, and who had tried to murder him.

I sent for the lawyer who was to take my side, and who all along believed me innocent. I gave him the letter. It's old master's pin,' I said. 'What shall I do, sir?'

And he said—'You can do nothing, my poor fellow, but wait and hope. I have a clue now, and I'll follow it up."

Then he went away, and afterwards I heard what he did. He went down to the place where Peggy lived, and took her out of danger of the eavesdroppers, and told her all that had happened. The brave girl trembled and wept, but she spoke out.

'He's innocent,' she said, 'I'd not believe him guilty if an angel told me he was.'

And the lawyer said, out of his heart, though she was but a serving lass—

'He's worthy of you, Peggy Grey, I do believe, and that is saying a good deal.'

Then he asked her about the pin, and the two had a long talk. It ended in Peggy bursting into tears, and promising to do anything and everything he asked, if he would but tell her why she should.

He told me afterwards, and it was hard work for little Peggy with her honest heart. Bless her. She turned herself around and made a different creature of herself, and she tried to make Mark Hulker believe she had been coquetting all the while, and, oh, how she cried when she told me that she let him kiss her, and put his arm around her waist. But she gained her end by it.

One night my good lawyer and two other men were shut up in the pantry with Peggy's master, and she dressed in her best and waited for Mark Hulker. That night she promised Mark to take his pin, and if he proved he had the money he bragged of, to marry him; and Mark was as merry as could be, and a little the worse for liquor.

'Now, lass,' said he, 'a promise is a promise. There's the money to count and the watch to look at, and the pin to wear. Now you'll have me?'

And just then the pantry door opened behind him, and a hand came down on his shoulder.

'We have you, my fine fellow,' said a voice, and then and there they arrested him; for the money, and the watch and pin, were old master's.

He gave up all hope from that minute, and confessed everything. How he had made up his mind to rob old master that evening before he was dismissed. How he had seen me climb out of the window, and so dressed himself in clothes like mine, and made the plans to throw the suspicion on me.

My Peggy brought the good news first, brought it into my cell, and threw herself weeping into my arms, crying out: 'You are free darling, free and clear, thank heaven.'

They did not hang Mark, for master after awhile got better, and quite well, at the end. But they punished him for the robbery, and for something he had done before ever he came to master's.

And as for the old man, he was so sorry when he got well for the charge he made against me—though he had honestly believed me guilty, as I well knew—that he made me a present of a little farm, and stocked it for me. And he gave the wife Peggy her outfit, and here we are, as happy as the sheep in the meadow yonder, or the bees in the hives hard by. And when we hear talk of books and plays, Peggy says to me: 'Jack, if they only knew our story, they'd make one of it, I'm sure.' And, as they say you are a writer, I tell it to you."

A STORY OF THE LATE YUBA DAM.—As long ago as the days when McCarty edited a paper in the city of Pauducah, the principal hotel in that city was in charge of a rubicund landlord named Owen Grimes. Among the distinguished guests of the St. Francis, and also one of the distinguished staff of McCarty, was Jabez Johnson, popularly known as "Yuba Dam." In those early days steamboats did not tarry long at the landing, and it frequently happened that visitors at the hotel were so hurried in their departure that they were unable to properly arrange their business before leaving. Most of his visitors being planters of the South, were well known to Owen Grimes, and had the freedom of his house. One of these, a Mr. Huston, had on one occasion been called to a passing boat without giving time to settle his hotel bill. Some weeks later Mr. Huston was again in Pauducah, and called at the St. Francis to settle his former indebtedness. Yuba Dam was seated alone behind the office counter.

"I want Owen Grimes," said Mr. Huston.

"I am Owen Grimes," answered Yuba.

"I am strangely mistaken," replied Huston; "I have seen Grimes and he is a shorter man than you, and has a red face."

"I have quit drinking," answered Yuba.

"Well, sir," said Huston, "I left here in a hurry, owing a bill. If you are Owen Grimes, you can tell me what it is."

"Certainly," said Yuba, "I remember it. It is just twenty dollars."

"That is an enormous bill."

"Nevertheless it is Owen Grimes' a bill."

Mr. Huston paid it, and Yuba gave him a receipt. He afterward mentioned the circumstances to some of his friends, and was told that he had been deceived. Furious, he returned to the St. Francis, and approaching Johnson said:

"You are a scoundrel, sir. You told me you were the proprietor of this hotel."

"No I didn't."

"You did sir. You said you were Owen Grimes."

"Well, so I am. I am owin' Grimes a bill for a month's board, and I am obliged to you for the money to pay it."

THE FRENCH MITRAILLEUR.—The Mitrailleur, which is as yet untried in practical warfare, is considered by the French as the most destructive military weapon known. Recently, 300 wretched horses, already condemned to the poleax, were purchased at the rate of four or five francs each, and ranged at a considerable distance. Two mitrailleurs were brought to bear against them, and in three minutes after two discharges not one of the animals remained standing. On another occasion, 500 horses were brought down at a single trial. This formidable weapon is constructed as follows:

It is a light 37-barrelled gun, arranged so that its barrels may be discharged simultaneously, or consecutively. The thirty-seven cartridges, intended for one charge, are contained in a small box. A steel plate, with corresponding holes, is placed on the open box, which is then reversed, and the cartridges fall points foremost into their respective holes. They are prevented from falling through by the rims at their bases. The loaded plate is then introduced into the breech slot, and when the breech is closed by a lever, a number of steel pins, pressed by spiral springs, are only prevented from striking the percussion arrangement in the cartridges by a plate in front of them. When this case is moved slowly by a handle, the cartridges are fired one by one. If the plate be withdrawn rapidly they follow each other so quickly that their discharge is all but simultaneous. The invention seems very well adapted for use in forts or other permanent places of defense or offense, but its carriage and management in the field would present many and insuperable obstacles to its general use.

JOHN BOSTON, an amendment, was arraigned in New Orleans for stealing chickens but stoutly protested his innocence. "And you deny having taken the chickens John?" asked the Court. "Hi, boss, sartin I never tuk 'em." "But the officer says he found them in your possession." "Sar?" "You had them in your hand when arrested." "Yes, boss, but I didn't stole them." "How did you come by them?" "I borrowed 'em." "The owner says not." "Well, you see, boss, he was asleep when I went to borrow dem chickens, an' I didn't like to 'sturb him; so I jist tuk 'em an' was gwine back next day to tell him."

OF all the school teachers in the United States two thirds are women.

THE CHASSEPOT, NEEDLE-GUN AND THE WALL RIFLE.—It becomes daily more evident that not only France, but also Prussia, has for a number of years silently but steadily made the most active preparations for the great struggle for European supremacy which has just now commenced between them. This is not only indicated by a thorough reorganization of both the French and German armies, but also by the strenuous efforts of each to produce weapons more improved and of greater destructiveness than possessed by the other. It is claimed by the French that the Chassepot is an improvement on the Zundnadelgwehr, and as long as the latter served them as a model they are all right there. Besides that, they have introduced into their artillery service a light field piece, a kind of revolving canon, called the mitralleuse, said to be most effecive against infantry and cavalry. All of a sudden one hears, however, of several new inventions quietly introduced by Prussia, and first among them a gun which can be fired twenty-two times a minute with ease, and said to be a decided improvement on both the Zundnadelgwehr and the Chassepot. In connection with this they have an improved arrangement for carrying 200 rounds of amunition. The superiority of this new gun becomes at once self evident, inasmuch as the present needle-gun can only be fired off ten or twelve times a minute, and a soldier carries only sixty rounds of amunition. It is, therefore, at least twice as effective as their present style of needle-gun, and a considerable number of them have already been manufactured and are ready to be distributed among the army. Another new invention of which the Prussians seem to think much is a kind of heavy and very large rifle with a cast-steel barrel four and a half feet long and mounted on two light wheels very much like a piece of artillery. It is named the wall beuchse or wall rifle, probably because a similar very heavy and long rifle has been used during the middle ages for the defense of the walls and turrets of castles and other fortifications. This wall rifle has been distributed extensively among the infantry, every battalion of which has now a number of them. It is aimed and fired off by a soldier kneeling behind it and catching the recoil, in order to steady the aim, by means of a padded cushion or saddle. The distance which this new gun carries is very great, the same as that of the heaviest artillery. It shoots with great precision, and seems to be more particularly designed to be used against the enemy's artillery, for the killing of men serving the guns, their horses, and the explosion of amunition chests, although it may also be used by infantry and cavalry. The projectile is two and a half inches long, of cast iron, hollow, and filled with a highly explosive substance. It explodes, however, only when it strikes with its point, which is furnished with a slightly projecting knob pressing a needle into the charge, and thus causing an immediate explosion. Besides these new inventions numerous improvements have been introduced, particularly in the artillery of both nations, and most of them of such a destructiveness to life and limb that this war will probably become the bloodiest on record.—*N. Y. World.*

THE following gem from the writings of Dickens has of late been going the rounds of the press: "There is nothing—no, nothing—beautiful and good that dies and is forgotten. An infant, a prattling child dying in its cradle, will live again in the better thoughts of those who loved it, and play its part, though its body be burned to ashes or buried in the deepest sea. There is not an angel added to the hosts of heaven but does its blessed work on earth in those who loved it here. Dead! Oh, if the good deeds of human creatures could be traced to their source, how beautiful would even death appear, for how much charity, mercy and purified affection would be seen to have their growth in dusty graves!"

"Barber," said a farmer to his tonsor, "now corn is cheap, you ought to shave for half price." "Can't, Mr. B——," said the man of razors, "I really ought to charge more, for when corn is down farmers make such long faces that I have twice the ground to go over."

DIDN'T SEE.—A homely woman in Auburn, being impolitely accused of the fact, said she "didn't see why a woman hasn't as much right to be homely as a man."

JINKS says he can tell other people how to act wisely, but finds it extremely difficult to act wisely himself.

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MILLERTON, August 12, 1870.

MAJ. NELSON—Dry Creek—Dear Sir:—We learn that you have expressed a willingness to permit your name to be used as a candidate for the position of Supervisor of District No. 2, at the ensuing election; provided, no other will run. And learning that no prominent citizen longer in the County than yourself will run, and believing that you are in every respect qualified for that responsible position, we take this method of adding our request to that of many others, that you become a candidate. We are sir,

Very respectfully, &c.,
HARRY DIXON,
LEWIS LEACH,
W. FAYMONVILLE,
WM. W. HILL,
GILLUM BALEY,
S. B. ALISON.

WE notice that many of our exchanges are predicting the early fall of the French Empire, predicating their opinions upon the reverses with which the French army is meeting. It is possible for such an event to occur, but is extremely improbable. Napoleon has too firm a hold upon the people (through the various petty and major office holders), to be easily set aside, and while Paris may cry out against him, as, indeed, it always has, the country will patriotically uphold him, and this gives him the balance of power. While we have not doubted from the first that France would get worsted in the fight, we never for a moment have thought that any more serious result would follow than we at first predicted, and which always follows a protracted war, the complete prostration of every business pursuit. But because the French have met with reverses on the outset, it is no sign that the same fate will follow them throughout. Yet we do not for one moment think that France is able single handed to cope with Prussia and the United German States.

THE Columbus, Miss., *Democrat* says, "A Northern paper suggests that Chinese laborers might be needed in the South to take the place of the negro. But we don't want them. The negro is giving place to white men almost as rapidly as could be desired. We would say to our Northern cotemporary that white men can work our cotton fields—they are doing it all over the South far more successfully than the negro. The receipts of cotton at railroad depots in negro districts—where the negro preponderates—have fallen off more and more each year since the war, while they have as steadily increased in white districts—that is where white men are the plow-holders. Let Wendell Phillips put this significant fact into his pipe and smoke it. The South is bound to be a white man's country."

NORTH CAROLINA ELECTION.—The news from the election in North Carolina is most gratifying. The Conservative ticket has been elected. Gov. Holden, with all his negro minions and hireling followers could no longer keep down, by force of arms and by terror, the people of North Carolina. They have found a way to relieve themselves of the odious presence of Radical rulers and their tyrannical supporters, notwithstanding the efforts of Grant, Holden & Co., with their crew of thieves, negroes and Chinamen.

THE Columbus, Mississippi, *Democrat*, says, should an election be held in Georgia this Fall (and it is considered highly probable that one will be held) the days of Radical rule in that State, after the voting is over, will be few and short. The Democracy will sweep the field like a whirlwind, and will go into power on the back of a majority that will prove strong enough to redeem the State and bury Radicalism out of sight.

THE editor of an Augusta, Ark., paper saw Jefferson Davis the other day at a hotel in Memphis. He says: "The last time we saw him was down in Georgia, riding thinly by our lines, reviewing. There he sits eating—a grey headed Confederate postage stamp. He wasn't insuring lives when we belonged to him." Jeff. is now President of a life insurance company.

REVELS, Mississippi's negro Senator was put out of a Louisville street car, and he talks of commencing suit for damages.

THE SHEEP LAW.—At the last session of the Legislature somebody, no one knows who, concocted a scheme to freeze out sheep men, in the shape of a bill to prevent the pasturing of sheep in certain localities. It says in the County of Fresno "it shall not be lawful for any person or persons, owning or having charge of any sheep, to herd the same on any unoccupied lands of this State or of the United States, where such herding may cause injury or inconvenience to actual settlers residing contiguous to such lands." It appears to us that this rather a one sided law, a sort of snap judgment taken upon sheep-owners by some parties interested in driving them from pasturing their flocks upon the Government lands. We can hardly endorse such an Act. But we can condemn it. The sheep-owner has rights as well as the actual settler who has cattle and horses to feed upon the land contiguous to his own. The "actual settler" pays his taxes upon his farm and stock. The sheep-owner pays upon his flock, upon the wool he produces, and upon his own land also. Has he not the same right to pasture upon the lands of the State or of the Government as the other? In all reason he has. If this law was enforced, or rather if it could be enforced, what would become of the immense flocks of sheep in this county? The owners could scarcely find a spot that was not contiguous to the lands of some actual settler, and yet horses and cattle of Tom, Dick and Harry might graze on those lands, "and no questions asked." The law is too one sided, and redounds not to the credit of its originator.

SOME of the Radical papers, in order to get even on account of the snub their especial pet, "Piegan," got in being refused admission into the French army, got up a story that Lee and Beauregard had been similarly refused. We are prepared to brand this as a lie, for it is well known that Lee's health is so very feeble that his lease on life is considered by the most sanguine to be very short, and Gen. Beauregard, but a very short time since refused the position of commander-in-chief of the army in the field, under the Khedive of Egypt, on account of his health being too poor to permit him to enter upon active duties. Our Radical cotemp's had better try again.

PRINTERS ON A STRIKE.—The printers of San Francisco, Sacramento and Marysville have been on a strike for higher wages, and have so far carried the day; but like all strikes of a similar nature we fear it will result to the disadvantage of the strikers. The proprietors of the papers which have stood the raise have only done so in order to gain time, and before another month rolls around the workmen will be ousted from their places by a lot of Chicago "prints," who are willing to work for the wages the printers were getting at the time of the strike. And, besides, two of the principal papers, which employ about sixty hands, have determined not to employ "Union printers" any more, thinking thus to avoid the trouble occasioned by these strikes.

THE telegraph announces that the little squirt, Piegan H. Sheridan, has gone to the front in the Prussian army. This is one of the worst disasters that could happen that noble army. We hope that it is one of the mysterious ways Providence has adopted of relieving the world of the odious presence of one of the devil's blackest hearted imps, and we may expect the pleasant news of his getting knocked over by a stray French bullet.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, Co. of Fresno, } Board of Equalization, Aug. Term, 1870. }

MILLERTON, Monday, Aug. 8, 1870.

Board met pursuant to law and notice duly published. Present: J. G. Simpson, Chairman; John Barton, Supervisor; H. C. Daulton, Supervisor; Harry Dixon, Clerk.

The assessment roll of this County for the year 1870, was examined through the letter S, and on motion was accepted and approved, whereupon the Board adjourned until 9 o'clock A. M., 9th inst.

Attest: J. G. SIMPSON,
HARRY DIXON, Clerk. Chairman.

MILLERTON, Tuesday, Aug. 9, 1870.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, full Board.

The examination of the assessment roll was resumed and finished; and on motion accepted, approved and declared to be the true and lawful assessment roll of this County for the year 1870; whereupon the Board adjourned sine die.

Attest: J. G. SIMPSON,
HARRY DIXON, Clerk. Chairman.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—By an advertisement elsewhere in this paper it will be seen that the firm of Froelich, Jensen & Co. has dissolved. Mr. Otto Froelich will continue the business at this place, and the people of this locality will find it to their advantage to purchase their supplies of him.

WE were presented with a bucketful of most excelent peaches a few days since by Mr. Andrew Johnson, of Coarse Gold Gulch. Good judges pronounce them the best peaches in Fresno county, they certainly are better flavored than any we have tasted this season.

WAR NEWS.

We have European dispatches to the 13th inst. The news is doubtles considerably exagerated, as is always the case on such occasions, still the true state of affairs can be pretty closely arrived at by any fair thinking person; the tenor of the dispatches generally indicating the true state of affairs, though exagerated greatly:

METZ, 8.—The French army is concentrating to march to the Vosges and defend the passes. No engagement to-day.

PARIS 9.—Nothing is certain concerning Austria—Russia keeps her quiet with promises.

It is announced Italy will send 100,000 troops to assist France.

LONDON 9.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* asserts that the Empress Eugenie is preparing for flight

Things arrange themselves as if the Emperor was not expected to resume power—as if the question was how he can be dispensed with altogether. The only question seems to be who shall first utter the word "abdication."

METZ 9.—French are concentrating at Metz.

There is a rumor here that the Prince Imperial is at the French Embassy, London.

Special correspondent writes from Paris that more than probable Napoleon will never return to Paris. The army is sick of his amateur Generalship.

Rumored in Paris to-day that the Emperor is expected at St. Cloud, *in cog.*

Requisition signed for dissolution of Ministry, and formation of a new Cabinet.

An attack made this evening on the Bourse. People driven out at half-past two p. m. by garde, and gates closed all night.

LONDON 10.—Gen. Dumont will take command of a Division of the French army.

Rumored that Prince Fredrick Charles has cut through the French lines between Metz and Nancy.

PARIS 9—Immense preparations are being made to defend the city.

Napoleon and Bazine are at Metz with 130.000 troops.

LONDOM 9—A dispatch says Strasbourg has only a garrison of 7,000, and is invested by 60,000 Germans—it must surrender. Prussians are advancing from Saar Louis and Trieves.

The *Pall Mall Gazette* says the French Empire is on the verge of collapse.

BERLIN 9.—Losses of French on Saturday at battle of Worth are 5,000 dead, wounded and missing, and 6,000 prisoners, McMahon's baggage, many cannon, and two long railroad trains loaded with provisions and munitions of war, besides thousands of stragglers were captured by the Prussians. Prussian loss, 3,500 dead and wounded.

PARIS 9.—Great excitement at Hall Legislatiff to day, population outside dispersed by the troops, amid of "Vive Chargamier!" "Vive Rochefort!" etc.

Minister Ollivier was forced to resign.

Gen Palakio will form a new ministry. Grammont was personally threatened.—Adjourned in great uproar.

METZ 10.—Chargamier is placed on the Emperor's staff.

McMahon has rallied the bulk of his army and is retreating to Nancy in good order. All his staff were either killed or wounded in Saturday's battle.

PARIS 10.—A Dictator with Trochu as supreme head is anticipated.

The names of the new Ministry was read in Corps Legislatiff. Gen. Palakio heads the list as Minister of War.

LONDON 10.—Prince Imperial arrived here bringing jewels and famous diamonds of the Duke of Brunswick.

PARIS 10.—Mob went to the residence of Cassagnac, who fled to a friend's house and escaped.

LONDON 11.—Advices from Prussian front, 10 o'clock last night. French falling back to the line of the Mosselle, harrassed by Prussian cavalry, which had passed Saar Louis.

The French evacuated the small fortress of Hotselstein, on the Vosges, leaving guns, provisions etc., which was immediately taken possession of by the Germans.

Paris *Journal* has advices from Metz to 4:30 P. M. yesterday. Details battle of Foschinelli (Worth?) still meagre.—McMahon's horse killed under him. A brigade of cavalry and one Division corps of Gen. Fouilly arrived on the field at close of day and covered retreat.

McMahon, after 25 hours in the saddle passed Sunday at Saverne, which he evacuated at night, on the approach of the enemy's pickets.

Metz dispatches say the Emperor will certainly make a stand there.

PARIS 11.—At Battle of Worth McMahon was 15 hours in saddle without food, and fainted from exhaustion and fell in a ditch, but was fortunately discovered and revived. Douay when he found all was lost sent away all his aids, shot his saddle horse, and deliberately walked into the face of the German fire and fell almost alone.

The *Herald's* London dispatches, under date of 10th, says Strasbourg is entirely cut off, and has been besieged since Monday, and its surrender has been demanded but refused; heavy artillery for the use of the besiegers on the way. Crown Prince still pursuing McMahon.

METZ 12.—Body of the enemy came near Fouard Station, on Paris and Strasburg Railroad this morning; they were attacked and driven off and their Commander captured. Enemy's couriers and small body of cavalry penetrated far into the country but main body of the army not making any forward movement.

LONDON 13.—Advices from St. Avoid, Friday night, state French army west of the Moselle and still retreating. German cavalry reached Poula Mousin, about half way between Metz and Nancy, on Railroad.

PARIS 13.—Gen. Trochu assumed command at Chalons. Canrobert replaces Baraguay du Hillars.

No fighting before Metz yet.

ANTWERP 12.—Advices from the seat of war state that a great battle is momentarily expected.

BERLIN 11.—First Prussian corps at Phillipsbourg.

London *Telegraph* is authorized to contradict formally the report that the Prince Imperial is in London.

PARIS 12.—Fears of a famine dissipated—large wheat crops expected.

BERLIN 12.—Bavarian army encamped near Saar Louis; Queen of Prussia announces that she will take personal charge of wounded of both nations, and that their treatment shall be identical.

LONDON 12.—Napoleon's presence on the battle field of Worth is confirmed. Scraps of news in regard to recent battles are allowed to be published in Paris.

The Prussians are penetrating France in three grand divisions, by way of Forbach, Weissenberg and Mulhausen.

McMahon admits a loss of 15,000 out of 18,000 engaged—Frossard's loss unknown.

LONDON 12.—Bank of France suspended specie payment to-day. It is said seven millions of Francs, in gold and silver was drawn yesterday and to-day.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

MILLERTON, Tuesday, August 9, 1870.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, full Board.

It is ordered: That action on the proposition from Board of Supervisors of Merced county to appoint commissioners to adjust the boundary between Merced and this county, be indefinitely postponed.

It is ordered: That the Auditor's half-yearly report, from March 7th to August 1st, 1870, be accepted and approved; the Court House and Jail Bonds, and Warrants redeemed since March 7th, 1870, being found to agree with credits thereon; and on counting the cash in the Treasury the same was found to conform to said report.

On the petition of O. H. Bliss et al, for notice of proposals to build certain bridges, it is ordered: That the Road Master of Dist. 6 give 30 days notice of receipt of proposals to build the bridges recommended in the report of the Surveyor, &c., of the road from Bliss' Ferry to Elkhorn Station, according to law, and publish the same in the Fresno EXPOSITOR 3 weeks before 13th of September proximo; that said proposals be submitted to this Board, that plans and specifications be by said Road Master drawn, and 1 copy placed at Bliss's Hotel, and 1 in this office, 15 days from this date; that parties to whom contracts are awarded execute sufficient bonds, and that the right to refuse all proposals be reserved by this Board.

It is ordered: That all moneys in the Redemption Fund on August 1st, 1870, be, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized to transfer the same to the General Fund.

It is ordered: That the District Attorney be and he is hereby instructed to bring action for and collect all taxes now due and unpaid to this county.

Supv'r Daulton moved: That the moneys of the Swamp Land Fund deposited with Elias Jacob, be recalled; lost. Aye—Supv'r Daulton. Noes—Supv'rs Simpson and Barton.

It is ordered: That the Auditor draw his warrant for $1.000 on the General Fund, payable to Thos. Simpson, Esq., Assessor, for making assessment for this year.

It is ordered: That the following bills be allowed and paid out of the General Fund to wit:

Wm. Faymonville, 75 days services as Deputy Assessor, assessment 1870 $375; B. S. Boutwell, 15 days services as Deputy Assessor, assessment 1870, $75 00: Harry Dixon, services as County Clerk and Auditor, August 1st to date, $90 00.

It is ordered: That Wm. Faymonville be and he is hereby authorized to procure a County Map for $500, according to specifications contained in the letter of R. H. Stretch filed in this office.

It is ordered: That this Board adjourn until 7 o'clock A. M., the 10th inst.

Attest: J. G. SIMPSON,
HARRY DIXON, Clerk. Chairman.

MILLERTON, Wednesday, Aug. 10, 1870.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, full Board.

Supervisor Daulton moved that a reward of $500 be offered by this Board, for the apprehension of J. P. Ridgeway, charged with the murder of B. A. Andrews; which said motion was withdrawn on advice of the District Attorney that a reward could not legally be offered by this Board.

It is ordered: That the following bills be allowed and paid out of the General Fund, to wit:

J. G. Simpson, 3 days services as Supervisor and 20 miles mileage, $22 00; John Barton, 3 days services as Supervisor and 64 miles mileage, $30 80; H. C. Daulton, 3 days services as Supervisor and 22 miles mileage, $26 80.

It is ordered: That this Board adjourn until the 13th day of September, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Attest: J. G. SIMPSON,
HARRY DIXON, Clerk. Chairman.

Certified to be a true abstract from the minutes of said Board.

[L. S.] HARRY DIXON, Clerk.

NEW SHOP.—Our friend S. W. Henry has got his new blacksmith shop nearly completed, and he will have it ready for work in a few days.

DIED.

On King's river, near Centreville, August 10th, LULU ELIZABETH, daughter of S. S. HYDE (dec.) and E. JANE HYDE, aged 8 months and 5 days.

Mariposa and Merced papers please copy.

Gather pale flowers,
The spirit has fled,
Twine cypress garlands,
The baby is dead.

Sadly, mournfully,
Walk to and fro;
Cover the statue face,
Whiter than snow.

Fold the pale hands
And close the soft eyes;
The angels have carried
Their lamb to the skies.

Lower the coffin
Beneath the damp sod,
The pure free spirit
Is NOW WITH ITS GOD. V. H.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE!

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Froelich, Jensen & Co., in Millerton and on Dry Creek, was by mutual consent dissolved on the 28th of July, 1870 Either party will sign in liquidation.

G. O'HARA TAAFFE,
F. JENSEN,
4t OTTO FROELICH.

FOR SUPERVISOR.

AT THE REQUEST OF MANY CITIZENS

THOMAS P. NELSON,

Of the Mississippi Settlement, Big Dry Creek, has consented to be a candidate for Supervisor of District No. 2, at the ensuing election.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF FRESNO, } OFFICE OF AUDITOR, MILLERTON, Aug. 1, 1870 }

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors:

I have the honor to submit the following as my Half-Yearly Report of the transactions and financial condition of the County, for the term commencing with the 7th day of March and ending with the 1st day of August, 1870, to wit:

Amounts total in treasury at date:

In State Fund	$1,088 26
In General Fund	4,008 39
In Road Fund	99 89
In School Fund	2,912 35
In Indigent Sick Fund	541 25
In Swamp Land Fund	4,238 42
In Redemption Fund	436 60
To credit account of Treasurer with Register of State Land Office	63 00
Total cash in Treasury Aug. 1, 1870	$13,390 17

There are also certificates of deposit to the credit of Swamp Land Fund of

Elias Jacob	$25,000 00
S. R. Cockrill et al	5,000 00
W. C. Caldwell et al	2,000 00
And a balance yet due said Fund of moneys transferred to General Fund	15,000 00
Add actual Cash as above	4,238 42
Total assets and cash	$51,238 42

The accounts of the respective funds stand as follows. The following are the debits as per Auditor's book:

STATE FUND.

March 7, 1870—To cash in Treasury	$3,562 16
Aug. 1, " —To cash rec'd since	3,294 73
Total	$6,856 89

COUNTY GENERAL FUND.

March 7, 1870—To cash in Treasury	$10,790 77
Aug. 1st, 1870—To cash rec'd since	2,746 79
Total	$13,267 56

ROAD FUND.

March 7, 1870—To cash in Treasury	$1,200 52
Aug, 1st, 1870—To cash rec'd since	83 37
Total	$1,283 89

SCHOOL FUND.

March 7, 1870—To cash in Treasury	$6,491 01
Aug 1st, 1870—To cash rec'd since	255 54
	$6,746 55

INDIGENT SICK FUND.

March 7, 1870—To cash in Treasury	$984 26
Aug 1st, 1870—To cash rec'd since	21 98
	$1,006 24

COUNTY REDEMPTION FUND.

March 7 1870—To cash in Treasury	$205 06
Aug 1st, 1870—To cash received since	231 54
	$436 60

SWAMP LAND FUND.

March 7, 1870—To cash in Treasury	$10,743 64
Aug 1st, 1870—To cash rec'd since	510 81
	$11,254 45

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT WITH REGISTER STATE LAND OFFICE.

March 7, 1870—To cash in Treasury	$51 00
Aug 1st, 1870—To cash rec'd since	12 00
	$63 00

The following are the credits of the respective funds, as per Auditor's books:

STATE FUND.

July 20, 1870—By cash paid into State Treasury	$5,370 16
" " By Treasurer's & Audt'rs com'sn 3 per cent	398 46
Aug 1st, 1870—By cash in Treasury	1,088 26
	$6,856 89

COUNTY GENERAL FUND.

March 31, 1870—By Court House and Jail bonds redeemed	$5,000 00
" " By coupons thereto	61 10
July 30, 1870—By warrants redeemed	4,143 87
" " By order County Court	52 20
" " By error	2 00
Aug 1st, 1870—By cash in Treasury	4,008 39
	$13,267 56

ROAD FUND.

July 30, 1870—By warrants redeemed	$1,184 00
Aug. 1, 1870—By cash in Treasury	99 89
	$1,283 89

SCHOOL FUND.

July 30, 1870—By warrants redeemed	$3,834 20
Aug. 1, 1870—By cash in Treasury	2,912 35
	$6.746 55

INDIGENT SICK FUND.

July 30, 1870—By warrants redeemed	$464 98
Aug. 1, 1870—By cash in Treasury	541 26
	$1006 24

COUNTY REDEMPTION FUND.

Aug. 1, 1870—By cash in Treasury	$436 60
	$436 60

SWAMP LAND FUND.

July 30, 1870—By Auditor's commis'n	$ 16 03
" " By certificates deposit, S. R. Cockrill et al	5,000 00
" " W. C. Caldwell et al	2,000 00
Aug. 1, 1870—By cash in Treasury	4,238 42
	$11,254 45

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT WITH REGISTER STATE LAND OFFICE.

Aug. 1, 1870—By cash in Treasury	$63 00
	$63 00

The indebtedness of the County is as follows, to wit:

Outstanding March 7, 1870 per Auditor's report	$20,161 54
CR.	
By amounts thereof redeemed to wit:	
Warrants redeemed	$ 7 11½
10 Court House & Jail Bonds	5,000 00
10 coupons as interest	61 10 $5,068 21½
Leaving debt unredeemed, Aug 1, '70	$15,093 32½

INDEBTEDNESS ACCRUED SINCE MARCH 7, 1860.

On General Fund:	
To warrants drawn	$4,084 55½
To order County Court	52 20
	$4,136 75½
CR.	
By warrants drawn and redeemed since March 7th, 1870	$4,084 55½
By order County Court	52 20
	$4,136 75½
On Road Fund:	
To warrants drawn since Mar. 7, 1870	$1,802 00
CR.	
By warrants redeemed since Mar. 7, '70.	1,184 00
	$ 618 00
On Indigent Sick Fund:	
To warrants drawn since Mar. 7, 1870	$464 98
CR.	
By warrants redeemed since Mar. 7. '70	464 98
Total outst'd'g indebt'dn's Aug 1, '70.	$15,711 32½
CR.	
By assets of county, consisting of:	
Amount allowed County for State's portion Auditor's compensation, by Act 26th March, 1870	$2,580 18
Am't warrant on Kern Co.	942 60
Cash in Gen'l Fund	4,010 39
" " Road	99 89
" " Indigent Sick Fund.	541 26
" " Redemption Fund	436 60. $8,610 92
Total indebt's, less assets Aug 1, '70.	$7,100 40½
Property of the County:	
One brick Court House and granite Jail, estimated value	$25,000 00
County Clerk's Library	500 00
Total value of County property	$25,500 00

All which is certified to be correct and respectfully submitted. HARRY DIXON, Auditor.

Certified to be a correct copy of the half yearly report of the Auditor, filed at my office on the 5th day of August, and accepted and approved by the Board of Supervisors on the 9th day of August A. D. 1870.

HARRY DIXON, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

THE NEW FOOD.

For a few cents you can buy of your Grocer or Druggist a package of SEA MOSS FARINE, made from pure Irish Moss, or Carrageen, which will make sixteen quarts of Blanc Mange, and a like quantity of Puddings, Custards, Creams, Charlotte Russe, &c. It is the cheapest, healthiest, and most delicious food in the world. It makes a splendid Dessert, and has no equal as a light and delicate food for Invalids and Children.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

There will be regular preaching once in each month at the following named places, Rev. J. H. Neal pastor:

First Sabbath at the Mississippi School House at 11 o'clock

Second Sabbath Scottsburg School House at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Third Sabbath at the Dry Creek School House at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Fourth Sabbath in the Court House, Millerton, at 11 o'clock.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

WILL START UP.—Mr. Leroy Dennis, of Buchanan, informed a gentleman of this place, a few days since, that the Buchanan Copper Mines will certainly be started up shortly. The parties were to have been at Buchanan on the 13th inst., to make the necessary preparations for opening the mines. The mines are now owned by a Boston company. We are pleased to chronicle this news The mines of that vicinity are too valuable to be permitted to lie idle, and more especially as they are all ready for work, being provided with furnaces and other necessary apparatus, for the successful carying on of the works. We do not hesitate to say that some day these copper mines will rank among the first in the State.

FIGHT AT CENTREVILLE.—From Mr. Russell Flemming, the courteous "Jehu" who officiates over Bennett's stage between this place and Visalia, we learn that our friends at Centreville, have been having a little fun, in witnessing a fight between a number of Mexicans on the one side and an amendment on the other. It seems some Mexican sheep shearers came to town on Saturday and got on a drunk and then went to gambling. In this pastime they were joined by a negro. In the course of the play a quarrel arose between them. The negro went off and armed himself and then returned, when the quarrel was renewed. The "man and brother," went after the Mexicans, belting them over with the butt end of his revolver, and was soon left master of the situation.

AFTER THE MEDICINE MEN.—We learn that a large band of mounted Indians were in Hays' Valley last week in search of some of their "medicine men," whom they proposed to kill. The cause for this is, we learn, that these medicine men were guilty of mal-practice; that is, some Indians had died under their treatment, and it is a custom to destroy them when they are not successful in saving the lives of their patients. Wonder if there would not be fewer doctors and consequently not so many premature deaths did such a rule exist among the whites.

WE may have a mail this evening. We may not have a mail this evening. If it comes we shall receive the latest news from all sections of the State. The latest will not be much over five days old, and it will range all the way back to the 1st of August, so we judge, at least, as we have not received more than one-half our papers since that date. But then we suppose that we should be thankful that we are allowed a mail at all, yet we do not feel a bit so.

WE learn that a letter has been addressed to Major Nelson, of Dry Creek, by a number of influential citizens of this locality, requesting him to permit his name to be placed before the voters of this District as a candidate for Supervisor, but as yet no answer has been received from him.

Since the above the Major has arrived in town and has given his consent to the using of his name, and it will be found announced in another column.

FINE SHEEP.—Mr. E. J. Hildreth, of the Fresno river, has just purchased fifteen splendid Spanish merino bucks. He intends raising a large number of fine wool sheep. It costs no more to raise good sheep than it does poor ones, and the difference in the price of the wool is very material. The sheep interest is one of the most important of this section, and we are pleased to chronicle every effort that is made to improve the stock.

THE Millerton Ferry Company are engaged in building a stone bulkhead about 80 feet in length, and is designed as a landing. It is also intended to act as a wing-dam, throwing the water of the river all into one body and thus enabling them to cross, with their boat, at all seasons of the year, the heaviest teams. It is said that it will be the best ferry on the river when the projected improvements are completed.

PUT UP ICE.—We think it would pay some enterprising young man to erect an ice house somewhere in the mountains of this county, contiguous to a public road, this Fall, and next winter put up a hundred tons or such a matter of ice. He could find a ready market for it in different parts of the county at very remunerative prices.

MODERATING.—We feel thankful to be able to say that the hot weather is moderating a little. The thermometer has reached 106 in the shade only one day since our last issue, and most of the time has not went over 102. We will be tickled to death when it gets so it don't rise above 90.

IT is reported that Ridgeway is still secreted in the vicinity of King's river, above Centreville. It is said that he has been seen and conversed with several times during the week, and that he is too painfully wounded to make his way off.

SMOKY.—The atmosphere is quite smoky in this section lately. It is supposed to be caused by fire in the woods at some point in the mountains.

A LETTER from B., King's river, received and refused for the reason that the law by which he proposes the County Seat be moved is a nullity.

LEMONS & WHISKY.—Lovers of this good and truly palatable drink can find just what they want down at Payne's.—We took ours a la lemonade.

THUNDER SHOWER.—A slight shower of rain, accompanied by heavy peals of thunder, visited this locality yesterday morning.

The Verdict of California.

Californians, as a rule, take nothing for granted. Any article that likes intrinsic merit is sure to be a dead failure in the Golden State. Twelve years ago HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS were quietly introduced here. Their uses were plainly set forth, and the community was invited to give them a fair trial, as a remedy for dyspepsia, biliousness, intermittent and remittent fevers, general debility, nervous affections, and all the ordidary diseases of the digestive and secretive organs. They were also reccommended as an appetizing and invigorating preparation, and as a preventitive of complaints of an epidemic character. The result may be summed up in a few words. A demand for the article immediately sprang up, and has ever since been increasing in a progressive ratio, until HOSTETTER'S BITTERS have become a leading commercial staple in the California market, and along the whole Pacific seacoast, from Central America to British Columbia. The consumption of the Great Vegetable Tonic and Restorative, in the Pacific States alone, is upwards of One Million Bottles per year, and its popularity overshadows that of every other medicine, proprietary or otherwise, sold on this side of the continent. This fact is so notorious, that it is like repeating a recognized truism, to put it into print. Since the introduction of the BITTERS the demand for the adulterated liquors of commerce has gradually declined, both in the cities and at the mines. The perfect purity of article, its restorative and preventive properties, and its admirable adaptation to the wants of a people too prone to exhaustive lsbor of body and mind, are appreciated by the medical profession, and it is prescribed as a stomachic and alterative to the exclusion, in a great degree, of all the unmedicated alcoholic stimulants.

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Pure blood may be compared to pure water, and impure blood to muddy water. If you pass muddy water through muslin you soil it: continue the process and you cover it with thick mud. Blood passes through all parts of the body; if good and pure it nourishes and cleanses the parts it goes through. If impure it leaves more or less dirt behind it. BRANDRETH'S PILLS are the medicine wanted, because they are made on purpose to take dirty humors out of the blood, and they never fail. These pills cure scrofula, even of forty years' standing; they have cured cases of rheumatism when the patient had not walked for four years; of paralysis, where the legs had lost their power of movement for seventeen years. The evidence in these cases cannot be disputed. Is there a town in the world where such evidences exist not? If BRANDRETH'S PILLS have been much used there we know that such evidence can be found. But be sure and see upon each box my name in the Government stamp, in white letters.

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OTTO FROELICH,

Millerton, July 28, 1870. a17tf

ELECTION NOTICE!

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, } OFFICE BOARD SUPERVI-
COUNTY OF FRESNO, } SORS, AUGUST TERM, 1870

PURSUANT TO LAW AN ORDER of said Board this day made and entered, Notice is hereby given that on

WEDNESDAY the 7th day of SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1870,

within the hours prescribed by law, there will be holden an election for

Supervisor of District No. 2

of said county, at the several precints in said District, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the expiration of the term of John G. Simpson, Esqr., Chairman of said Board.

Given under my hand this, the 3d day of August, A. D. 1870.

HARRY DIXON, Clerk.

RANCH FOR SALE.

THE undersigned being desirous of leaving the State, wishes to sell his premises, a very desirable property, situated on the south side of the San Joaquin river, sixteen miles below Millerton, consisting of dwelling house, barn, outhouses, and seventy-five acres of land under fence, also fifteen tons of hay. Possession given immediately.

JOSE MONTANA.

August 10th, 1870. tf

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WHOSE SUFFERINGS

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PROMPT TREATMENT

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If you are suffering or have suffered, from involuntary discharges, what effect does it produce upon your general health? Do you feel weak, debilitated, easily tired? Does a little extra exertion produce palpitation of the heart? Does your liver, or urinary organs, or your kidneys, frequently get out of order? Is your urine sometimes thick, milky or flocky, or is it ropy on settling? Or does a thick scum rise to the top? Or is a sediment at the bottom after it has stood awhile? Do you have spells of fainting, or rushes of blood to the head? Is your memory impaired? Is your mind constantly dwelling on this subject? Do you feel dull, listless, moping, tired of company, of life? Do you wish to be left alone, to get away from everybody? Does any little thing make you start or jump? Is your sleep broken or restless? Is the lustre of your eye as brilliant? The bloom on your cheek as bright? Do you enjoy yourself in society as well? Do you pursue your business with the same energy? Do you feel as much confidence in yourself? Are your spirits dull and flagging, given to fits of melancholy? If so do not lay it to your liver or dyspepsia. Have you restless nights? Your back weak, your knees weak, and tand have but little appetite, and you attribute his to dyspepsia, or liver complaint?

NOW, READER,

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RUIN THEIR CONSTITUTION,

but also those they do business with or for.

How many men from, badly cured diseases, from the effects of self-abuse and excesses, have brought about that state of weakness in those organs that has reduced the general system so much as to induce almost every other disease—

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I intend erecting one of these gates in Millerton and farmers are requested to call and examine it before purchasing, and be convinced that it is

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ACROSS SAN JOAQUIN RIVER.

THE Millerton Ferry Company beg leave to inform the traveling public that their

NEW FERRY

Situated one-half mile below the town of Millerton, is now in complete running order. All the apparatus connected with said ferry being new, and the banks on either side being cut down to an easy grade, a safe, quick and easy crossing can at

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J. R. McCOMB.

Millerton, July 6th, 1870. 1m

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Justice's Court, Fresno county, State of California, in and for the Second Township, duly attested, at the suit of Thomas Winkleman against F. M. Ritter and C. P. Converse, on a certain judgment rendered in said court on the 19th day of November, A. D. 1869, for the sum of two hundred and ninety-nine ($299 46) 46-100 dollars, and thirty-two 72-100 ($32 72) dollars, interest, a so forty-one 59-100 ($41 59) dollars, cost of suit, in gold coin of the United States, I have levied upon a certain ranch and improvements, formerly known as Brown's ranch, and at present known as Ritter's ranch, situated on the west side of the north fork of the San Joaquin river, about three-fourths of a mile above Converse's saw mill, and about one-half mile below Crane Valley, in Fresno county, State of California, consisting of two houses and ten acres of land, more or less, under fence.

Notice is hereby given that on

Tuesday, September 6th, A. D. 1870,

at 12 o'clock M., in front of the Court House door, in the town of Millerton, I will proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in gold coin of the United States, all the right, title and interest of the said defendant, F. M. Ritter, in and to the above described property.

J. N. WALKER, Sheriff.

Millerton, August 1st, 1870. 10 3t

COUNTY

BOARD OF EXAMINATION!!

There will be a Meeting of the County Board of Examination at the Dry Creek School House on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7,

Applicants for County Certificates are requested to be present at the time.

County Sup't, and ex-officio Chairman County Board of Examiners.

August 3, 1870.

PAY UP! PAY UP!

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO ME BY book account or note are requested to make immediate payment of the same, as I must have money to pay my debts with. Persons, also, indebted to D. B. McCarthy, saddler and harness maker, will please make payment to me.

I will have my Blacksmith shop, the old McCray shop, in readiness for the execution of work immediately, and I will thank my friends and the public to give me a call. S. W. HENRY.

Millerton, July 6, 1870.

The Fresno Expositor

A GAY LAUGH.

I love a laugh, a wild, gay laugh,
Fresh from the fount of feeling,
That speaks a heart enshrined within,
Its joys revealing.

I love a laugh, a wild, gay laugh,
Oh, who would always sorrow,
And wear a sad and woeful face,
And fear the morrow?

I love a laugh—this world would be,
At best, a dreary dwelling,
If heart could never speak to heart,
Its pleasures telling.

I love a laugh—it cheers the heart
Of age bowed down with sadness,
To hear the music in the tones
Of childhood's gladness.

Then frown not at a wild, gay laugh,
Or chide the merry-hearted;
A cheerful heart and smiling face
Should ne'er be parted.

FOR THE CHILDREN.

SHUTTING DOORS.—"Don't look so cross Edward, when I call you back to shut the door; grandpa feels the March wind. You have got to spend your life shutting doors, and might as well begin to learn now, Edward."

"Do forgive me, grandpa. I ought to be ashamed. But what do you mean? I am going to college, and then I am going to be a lawyer."

"Well, admitting all that, I imagine Squire Edward Carter will have a good many doors to shut, if he ever makes such a man."

"What kind of doors? Do tell me, grandpa."

"Sit down a minute, and I'll give you a list."

"In the first place, the door of your ears must be closed against the bad language and evil council of the boys and young men you will meet at college, or you will be undone. Let them once get posession of that door, and I will not give much for Edward Carter's future prospects.

"The door of your eyes, too, must be shut against bad books, and low wicked newspapers, or your studies will be neglected, and you will grow up a useless, ignorant man. You will have to close them sometimes against the fine things exposed for sale in the shop windows, or you will never learn to lay up money, or have any left to give away."

"The door of your lips will need especial care to guard as an unruly member, which makes great use of bad company let in at the doors of the eyes and ears. That door is very apt to blow open and, and if not constantly watched, will let out angry, trifling, or vulgar words. It will backbite sometimes worse than a March wind, if it is left open too long. I would advise you to keep it shut much of the time, till you have something valuable to say.

"The inner door of the heart must be well shut against temptation; for Conscience, the door keeper, grows very indifferent if you disregard her call, and sometimes drops asleep at her post; and you may think you are doing very well, when you are fast going to ruin.

"If you carefully guard the outside doors of the eyes and ears and lips, you will keep out many a cold blast of sin, which gets in before you think.

"This 'shutting doors,' you see, Eddie, will be a serious business—on which your well-doing in this life and the next depends."

RECONSTRUCTION at the South, says the *Examiner*, is proving what Doolittle said it would. "Hell is organized," in North Carolina. Holden, the infamous, has turned loose his negro butchers upon the people of that State. "The militia" are at work arresting and dragging from their homes peaceable citizens and shooting down others who question their authority. It is almost impossible to conceive of a more atrocious state of things than Holden has inaugurated, and yet Grant, when appealed to, says he can do nothing unless called upon by the Governor or Legislature. The latter is not in session, and the former is the head devil in the work of murder and persecution, and the people must submit. Should they rise up and hang the scoundrel the Federal soldiery would be turned loose upon them, and so there is no help anywhere.

A SENTIMENTAL young lady addressed a disconsolate looking Indian as follows:

"Why droops the eye of the forest chief? Does the memory of the red warrior revert to the past, when his proud ancestors roamed through the forest and enjoyed the primeval glories of nature, now sadly marred by the ax and plow of the unsympathizing rustic?"

To which the noble red man replied:

"Ugh! No. White man gib Injun too much whisky. Injun big drunk last night; Injun jerk him guts out; Injun puke; den Injun git well again; ugh!"

A WOMAN in Wisconsin says that when her husband is a little drunk he kicks her, and that when he is very drunk she kicks him; and she adds that she does most of the kicking.

"How did you spend Good Friday—in mortification, as required?" said a Frenchman to his friend. "Yes," replied the latter with a sigh; "I remained at home with my wife the entire day."

HOUSE, FARM AND GARDEN.

YEAST.—Good yeast is indispensible in order to secure good bread. We give the following reliable receipt. Pare and boil eight medium sized potatoes. Remove from the water when done, and put into it one small handful of loose, or two teaspoonfuls of pressed hops. While these are boiling, mash and roll the potatoes very smooth and free from lumps; mix with them three table spoons even full of flour, half cup of sugar—brown is the best for yeast—one table-spoon even full of ginger, and three of salt. Strain out the hops after boiling fifteen minutes, and pour the boiling water over the potatoes, flour, etc. Stir it well together, and again set it on the stove till it boils up once, stirring it all the time or it will burn. This done, pour into a large earthen bowl or stone pot to cool. When milk or blood warm, add a small quantity of baker's yeast or yeast cake. Keep in a warm place till well raised; then put it into a stone jug; cork and tie down securely. One teacupful will raise two good sized loaves.

LOOK TO YOUR HORSES' FEET.—Few men who handle horses give proper attention to the feet and legs. Especially is this the case on farms. Much time is spent of a morning, brushing, smoothing the hair on the sides and hip, but it is seldom that the feet are examined and cared for. A hores' feet need quite as much attention as the body. They need more, in fact, for in one respect they are most the entire horse. All the grooming that can be done won't avail anything, if the horse is allowed to stand where his feet will be filthy. In this case the feet will become disordered, and then the legs will get badly out of fix, and with bad feet and bad legs there is not much else of the horse fit for anything. Stable prisons generally are severe on the feet and legs of horses, and unless these buildings can afford a dry room, where a horse can walk around, lie down or roll over, they are not so healthy or comfortable to the horse as the pasture and should be avoided by all hostlers.

THE State of Iowa planted, last year about 15,000,000 trees; and will set out a larger number next year. Two farmers in one township set out 25,000 this last spring. This is at the rate of about five trees, annually for each inhabitant, none too many to meet the demand for fruit, commerce, fuel and timber.

The following is an effectual and harmless remedy for lice on cattle and colts: "Mix lard and carbolic acid in proportions of 1 oz. of acid to a gallon of lard. Rub thoroughly all parts infested."

VARNISH FOR FURNITURE.—In three parts of 95 per cent. alcohol, heated to 150 degress Farnheit, dissolve one party of essence of rosemary. Apply while hot. It drys rapidly, and becomes hard and durable.

NEVER iron lace window curtains, and be careful not to make them blue with indigo. Stretch them upon a mattrass to dry, pinning down the extreme edge of every point of scallop carefully.

"RENTES."—Many of our readers may not have a fair understanding of the word "rentes," which occurs so constantly just now in our foreign dispatches, and whose rise and fall seem to constitute the financial barometer of Paris. They are the funded debt of France; not, however, in the form of bonds, but simply loans from the people. These loans are entered to the credit of the lenders on the Government ledgers, and draw a specified rate of interest. The holders of the debt are called "renters," and the fluctuations in its value denote popular distrust or confidence in the Government.

WELL ANSWERED.—A Wisconsin farmer wants to know "what in the deuce his class of people are coming to, when it takes ten bushels of wheat to buy a pair of boots?" To which the New York *Democrat* answers: "Go barefoot, and keep right on voting the Radical ticket!"

JERROLD said one day that he would make a pun upon anything his friends would put to him. A friend asked him whether he could pun upon the signs of the zodiac; to which he promptly replied, "By Gemini, I Cancer."

A MAN in Danville tried to put himself to sleep the other night by reading in bed with a kerosene lamp The charcoal to which his bones were reduced were used by his widow to figure up the expenses of her mourning outfit.

AN ark is now being built by a man out west, in anticipation of the next flood—of tears shed by his wife when he refuses to take her to the opera. He thinks he can weather the storm.

"PLEASE, sir, I don't think Mr. Dosum takes his physic reg'lar," said a doctor's boy to his employer. "Why so?" said the doctor "Cause vy he's gettin vell so recious fast!"

A FARMER in Pennsylvania states that he cured his daughter of the Grecian bend by pouring water on her and then hanging her out in the sun till she warped back.

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Merino Dress	1	4	8	27
Calico Dress	0	57	6	37
Chemise	1	10	10	31
Night Dress	1	7	10	2
Muslin Skirt	0	30	7	10
Muslin Skirt, 15 tucks	2	30	22	10
Infant's Plain Robe	0	35	8	5
Infant's robe 50 plaits	7	35	41	50
Plain Drawers	0	35	4	16
Quilting Silk Skirt	11	30	50	20
Stitching 12 linen collars	0	43	10	5
Stitching 12 linen cuffs	0	40	10	15
Stitching 12 shirt fronts	1	20	23	20
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